IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 1742 Examiner: Deborah Yee

Application of:

Bodo GEHRMANN, et al.

Serial No.

10624.998

10/624,998

Filing Date

July 22, 2003

Entitled :

IRON-NICKEL ALLOY WITH LOW

THERMAL EXPANSION COEFFICIENTS . . .

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 or facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at (703) on the date shown below

Signature

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants request a three (3) month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated December 2, 2004, in the above application from March 2, 2005 to June 2, 2005.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 16-2500 of the undersigned the fee of \$1,020.00 for the extension of time and any other fees that may be due.

Respectfully Submitted,

05/24/2005 RFEKADU1 00000019 162500 10624998

01 FC:1253

1020.00 DA

Charles Guttman, Reg. No. 29,161

Attorney for Applicant

Date: May 18, 2005

10/624,998 Attorney Docket No.: 29462/034CON

Proskauer Rose LLP 1585 Broadway New York, New York 10036 (212) 969-3000